

## ***Fundraiser and Silent Auction To Benefit Jason Blixrud***

Our community is sponsoring a benefit for Jason Blixrud. Jason recently underwent a kidney transplant due to complications of lupus. He and his wife, Jo, have incurred enormous uninsured medical expenses related to his transplant.

Currently, he is in need of financial support to purchase transplant medications, make frequent follow-up visits to the University of Minnesota and to facilitate home repairs that Jason has been unable to complete due to his declining health prior to his transplant and recovery since his transplant.

Blessed Hope Church along with friends and family are sponsoring a fundraiser and silent auction to raise funds for these purposes. The event will take place on Saturday, January 24, 2009 from 7:00 – 11:00 pm. .

At our event we plan to honor Jason's donor and to bring awareness of the miracle of transplantation.

Given your past support of community events and your recognition as a successful business within our community, we are asking for your support by donating an item or service for the silent auction. All sponsors will be acknowledged during the event, and any advertising materials or special offers or coupons that you provide for our use will be prominently displayed or distributed.

If you are able to assist in any way and wish to show your support for Jason and our community, please contact Jason's aunt:

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We would be happy to talk to you about any opportunity for you to be involved and are pleased to accept donations of any kind. No item is too small as they will be grouped and made into gift baskets for the silent auction.

**Thank you for your consideration.**